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## News from Various Quarters.

CALIFORNIA.—E. G. Paige, known in San Francisco as 'Dow Junior' of the Golden Era, died in that city on the 4th inst. He was the author of the "Dow Sermons," commenced in the New York Visitor, of which he was one of the publishers, and continued in the Golden Era.

A sale of thirty-one hives of honey bees, brought from the East, were sold in San Francisco recently, at prices varying from \$20 to \$75, each.

A large humpback whale not long since entered the Golden Gate and went on an excursion to Benicia, where he created some excitement.

The Marysville and San Francisco Railroad Company will immediately commence grading on the line of their road from Suisun City to Knight's Landing, a distance of 42 miles. The grading is so light that the work will be pushed forward very rapidly.

In Kern river valley, Buena Vista county, there are springs almost boiling hot as they come through the ground and run a sluice head. The waters are said to taste very similar to that of the Blue Lick Springs in Kentucky. It is stated that during the time of the earthquakes in 1857 the water from these springs was intensely hot, and continued so for some six months after. One spring was entirely closed up by the earthquake, and it is now dry ground where it once ran.

All the flumes on Scott river have been carried away by the late freshet.

The Republicans of San Francisco, on the 6th inst., fired, from Telegraph Hill, one hundred and fourteen guns by way of rejoicing over the recent Republican victories in the Eastern free States.

AUSTRALIA.—By last accounts a difficulty existed between the miners and the authorities, regarding the lease of certain grounds, in the vicinity of Ballarat. The miners or anti-leasers had banded together to the number of 500, and were defying the laws. In reference to this subject the Melbourne Herald says:

When the dispute first arose between the miners and the leasers at Brown's, public opinion gave it unanimously in favor of the former. There was much sympathy felt for them, because it was believed that they had been dealt with unjustly by the government. Whether designedly or not, the latter had leased a piece of ground to a company over the heads of the miners, as they averred. The first appeal to the Local Court decided the point of prior possession in favor of the latter; but that decision has been subsequently reversed. When the Court proceeds to put the lessees in possession, the miners fly to arms. So stands the case. It is evident there is no longer a cause of quarrel between the miners and the Government. Even were the broad allegations made by one of the Ballarat journals perfectly true—namely, that the O'Shanassy Ministry granted the lease originally from corrupt motives—the subsequent decision of a Court of law, and that the miners' own elected Court entirely removes the primary grievance.

There is to be a continuous line of telegraph between Tasmania (Van Dieman's Land) and the different cities and towns of Australia, by means of submarine cable across Bass Straits, already laid.

The election for the Legislative Assembly had been held, and the government had been reburdened in some districts by the result, but on the whole were not very favorable to the idea of universal suffrage.

FROM SALT LAKE.—The Deseret News, of November 9th, has the following:

Some very extensive operations in mule and horse stealing have been reported of late in this and adjoining counties—ten or more changing hands in that way in one night, in several instances.

The Valley Tan, of the same date records the following marriage extraordinary.

We saw, a week or two ago, walking down Main street from the direction of the "President's Office," a man accompanied by four ladies. An air slight of perturbation in the party, mingled with evident expressions of satisfaction and happiness, led us to inquire who they were. Some one present informed us that they were a party that had been up to President Young's office to be married, and that the four ladies had just been united in indissoluble bonds to the man accompanying them. That, we suppose, might be termed marriage in gross.

ESTATE STATES.—The State elections in Massachusetts, New York, New Jersey, Iowa and Wisconsin have resulted in a complete triumph of the Republican party.

The Richmond Enquirer, referring to the clamors in certain quarters for the pardon of Old John Brown, says "the Constitution of Virginia has placed the mercy seat in the enlightened conscience of her Executive."—Later intelligence from Virginia, however, locates the "mercy seat" in her Legislature. There seems to be considerable doubt as to where Virginia's seat of mercy really is.

The Richmond Whig contains an advertisement from a gentleman offering to be one of one hundred to raise \$10,000 for the delivery of Joshua R. Giddings in Richmond, or \$5,000 for his head. The valiant Virginia would do well to go and take him and save his money.

Senator Douglas of Illinois has been dangerously ill with a fever, but at last accounts was convalescent.

SANDWICH ISLANDS.—The latest accounts from the Sandwich Islands say that Mr. Neilson who was shot by King Kamehameha in fit of jealousy was at Lahaina, lying in a very critical state, his ill health having taken an unfavourable turn. Immediately on receiving the news, his Majesty and Dr. McKibben started to that place on board the Moi Koki, which was towed to sea by the Pele. Further news is anxiously looked for.

The people of Kan, the most southern district of Hawaii, had got up a kind of insurrection to resist the collection of taxes.—The Commercial says that their intention was evidently to throw off the Government of the present king, and proclaim Kinaw as King. Such was the programme as boldly proclaimed, and the lack of a leader of chief blood was the only thing that prevented the affair from assuming serious proportions, and involving the loss of life. The rebellion did not amount to much in results, and was easily suppressed.

## JEWELRY.

### HOLIDAY PRESENTS RICH AND RARE!

Just received per Steamer Pacific, FROM CALIFORNIA, A SPLENDID ASSORTMENT

Ladies' & Gentlemen's JEWELRY,

AT E. MARKS', YATES STREET.

Opposite Hibben & Carswell's.

### FURNITURE.

BY RECENT ARRIVALS, the undersigned have lately received a considerable lot of assorted furniture to which additional lots will be made from time to time. We now offer Mahogany, French Bedsteads, Centre Tables (a sort of style), Chairs, Rocking-chairs, 6 leg Dining-tables (walnut and cherry), ½ marble and scroll dress Bureaus, Sofas, assorted styles, a few sitting office Desks. Cheffoniers in mahogany and walnut, oak and wood seated office, Grecian, cane seated, and children's Chairs, a few spring seat Lounges with leather and damask covers, Mirrors with gilt and mahogany frames, for parlors and chambers, Towel-racks, Chair-cushions, Coverlets, Bedsteads, all sizes.

BEDDING.—Hair, Pulu, Moss, and Straw Mattresses, in the manufacture of which we use none but the best material, and guarantee our work.

PIERCE & SEYMOUR, North-west corner of Yates and Douglass', Victoria.

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EX STEAMER PACIFIC.

10,000 CIGARS,

LA VILLA DE GIJON.

THE MOST CELEBRATED BRAND OF CIGARS, is directly received from Havana, and is offered for sale in small lots by

G. VIGNOLO, Johnson street opposite Wharf.

DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERSHIP.

THE COPARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXISTING between N. TREWEEWE & Co., Victoria, and S. & S. M. HOLDERNESS, of San Francisco, under the name of N. Trewewe & Co., expired by limitation on the 31st October last.

Mr. ROBT. GEORGE is authorised to close the business and sign the name of the firm in liquidation.

N. & S. M. HOLDERNESS.

Dec. 9, 1860.

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## FRUIT TREES!

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A. M. POE

Is regularly receiving, by every Steamer

From Olympia,

LARGE AND WELL SELECTED LOTS

—OR—

ALL KINDS

—OR—

## Fruit Trees,

from the

Most Reliable Nurseries

—IN—

## Washington Territory.

—ALSO—

## ORNAMENTAL

## SHADE TREES AND SHRUBBRY.

He is prepared to furnish,

## PLANT AND INSURE

any quantity of Trees on the most reasonable terms.

For Samples, call at Rousset's Wharf.

Orders can be left at the Clifton House, Broad St., or at the COLONIST Office, Victoria.

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## ASSAY OFFICE.

## MARCHAND, Jr., & CO.,

YATES STREET,

Third door above Freeman & Co.'s Express,

## Assayers of Gold, Silver and Ores.

ASSAYS OF EVERY DESCRIPTION

A. promptly and faithfully made, and returns given within six hours, in bars or coins, at the option of the depositor.

AIME MARCHAND has been connected with the well-known Assay Office of HARRIS & MARCHAND, in San Francisco, Sacramento and Marysville, California, for the last four years, and during that time they have given general satisfaction to the public.

We guarantee the correctness of our Assays, and by permission refer to the following well-known Banking Houses and Express Offices in San Francisco:

B. Davidson, Abel Guy,  
Tallant & Wilde, Wells, Fargo & Co.,  
Parrott & Co., Freeman & Co.,  
Sather & Church.

Also, by special permission we refer to the BANK OF BRITISH NORTH AMERICA, in Victoria, 627-1m

## THE UNDERSIGNED Are Now Receiving

## FULL AND COMPLETE ASSORTMENT

of Fine LIQUORS, the following of which form a part:

Booth's Old Tom in Puncheons.

Burnett's do in Cases.

Harvey's Scotch Whiskey in Puncheons.

Holland Gin in Pipes.

Champagne Cider in Brls and Kegs.

Younger's Edinboro' Ale in Stone Jugs.

do in Bulk.

Allsopp's Burton Ale do.

Salt's do do.

Barclay, Perkins & Co.'s Bottled Porter.

Truman, Hanbury's do.

Allsopp's Bottled Ale.

And for sale by

THOMAS PATTICK & CO.,

Corner of Johnson and Government streets.

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100,000 HAVANA CIGARS,

JUST RECEIVED—OF THE FOLLOWING

Choice Brands:

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# THE BRITISH COLONIST.

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VICTORIA, VANCOUVER ISLAND.

Thursday Morning, December 22, 1859.

## The Independent Man.

"Vote for the independent man," is the reiterated advice to electors in yesterday's Gazette. And very good advice it is, so far as it goes, provided it be honestly given, and properly applied. But independence, like reform, is often misunderstood and misapplied. But these and other taking words are found to be so popular, on account of the principles represented by them where sincerely used, that they are greedily coveted and largely employed as political capital, by those who have no right whatever so to appropriate them. Not every gilded coin has the ring of the true metal in it, or will stand the chemical test. And not every political aspirant or public journal that affects to make "independence" and "reform" watchwords, will be found on rigid scrutiny, to be truly independent and progressive.

"By their fruits ye shall know them," is an ancient maxim of obvious and acknowledged truth. The electors of this island will do well to remember and act upon it in the coming contest. Already, in this young Colony, occasions have arisen to try men's principles. Let the record of the past be consulted, and it will be seen who have stood up bravely and manfully to maintain popular rights, and to defend freedom from encroachment. The record will also show who have proved broken reeds in the hour of need, who have hesitated to commit themselves on great questions until satisfied it was safe to do so, and who have coveted office and emolument. Those who have proved unreliable once, will be very apt to betray the same characteristic again. Those who uniformly wait until the current sets strong in a particular direction before they embark, are not exactly the men to shape the destinies of a new country.

Not every one who proclaims himself independent, is really so. Not every one who thinks himself independent, is so. Sometimes, on trying occasions, men who previously meant to be independent, yield to the force of circumstances, and betray their innate weakness. They are like raw recruits, who go to the battle-field feeling very brave, and firmly resolved to "do or die," but when the charge comes, their courage leaves them, and they flee. Not a few well-meaning persons lack discrimination and stamina. In exigencies, when these qualities are most needed, they fail to see through flimsy pretences, and to defy temptation. On the other hand, the independent man is proof against specious arguments designed to make the worse appear the better reason, and stands firm when others waver.

It is possible to be independent of some influences, yet servile and tammeled in respect to others. H. B. C. is not the only brand of slavery that may be worn in this colony. P. is quite as humiliating, if not more so. Now that the crown has fallen from the head of the hoary monopoly, it is receiving contemptuous treatment in quarters where, but yesterday, its smiles and favors were eagerly coveted. Some, tired of paying it court, are suddenly unwilling to do it justice. The truly independent man will consult no class. He will not hold up his opinions to be blown into shape by the wind of popular feeling. He will advocate what he believes to be right, without stopping to ask how many will go with him in his manly course, assured that in the end, truth must triumph over all opposition.

Nor must it be forgotten, that independence is not the only desideratum in the representatives of the people. A man may be independent but incapable; or he may be independent, but inexperienced. Or again, independent—but crotchety. Or yet again, independent, but wrong in his views of things. On many questions it is possible to be independently wrong, as well as independently right. A Derby may be as independent as a Palmerston or a Russell, while their policies are as wide as the poles asunder. Hence we want not only capable, experienced, common-sense men to represent us—but men who have in addition to these qualifications, correct views of public policy. It should therefore be required of all candidates, not merely that they declare themselves in general terms, independent, and ready to go for reform, but that they explicitly state their political views, point out the reforms they think desirable,—and indicate to the constituencies, they aspire to represent, the measures they believe the country needs, and to which, if elected, their support will be given.

Wells, Fargo & Co., by Pacific to San Francisco \$2

INDIAN OUTRAGES.—Our attention has been directed to attacks made by Indians on pedestrians on the Esquimalt road. In addition, Mr. Kavanagh tells us that his wagons, hauling wood to the Royal Hospital, were turned back on Monday by the subjects of Prince Freezy, and grossly abused in a shower of words, of course in plain English. The inhabitants should look to the evil. The non-punishment for the outrage on Captain Nagle is producing its natural effects. Stop it.

An alarm of fire was given on Tuesday night. It was merely a stove-pipe a-fire, which was soon extinguished. The Engine under Capt. Coker and the Hook and Ladder under Capt. Pickett were promptly on the ground.

## EDITOR COLONIST:

The bogus Gazette by taking great pains, has got back its head, but without any brains. Just like its leaders,—only begin 'em and read to the end,—there's nothing in 'em.

OLD SCALP.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

## A CARD.

Victoria, V. I., 21st Dec., 1859.

To A. DE COSMOS, Esq.: Sir.—We, the undersigned, Electors of Victoria Town District, having every confidence in your ability and integrity, and in your just and liberal political opinions, desire to be represented by you in the next House of Assembly. Therefore, we request that you will allow yourself to be nominated as a Candidate at the ensuing election; and we pledge to you our warmest support in securing your election:

James Yates,  
James Murray Reid,  
James Duncan,  
D. F. Adams,  
Thomas Phelan,  
Alfred Waddington,  
John R. Adams,  
James Thorne,  
Walter Miles,  
George Balls,  
D. J. Carroll,  
Chas. Young,  
Henry Phillips Ellis,  
Jacob Herkimer,  
John Russell,  
N. Hicks,  
James Webster,  
Capt. Jno Swanson,  
Robert Laius,  
Hugh McKay,  
John Gordon McKay,  
William Walls,  
Fred'k Pearkes,  
C. A. Bayley,  
Geo. J. Wright,  
W. J. McDonald,  
Wm. Atkinson,  
John Johnson,  
Robt. H. Astor,  
J. N. Jeffcock,  
John Copland,  
W. D. Moses,  
John Wright,  
Robert Anderson,  
Matthias Rowland,  
George Richardson,  
Henry Wain.

## A CARD.

Victoria, Dec. 21, 1859.

EDITOR BRITISH COLONIST: In this morning's issue of the galvanized Gazette, in what purports to be a report of the injunction case before Judge Cameron, the following sentence appears:

"The sale of the subscription list was in fact the sale of the good will, and this was effected by one of the co-partners of the defunct Gazette with the agent of the defendants."

Being the only member of the firm of A. Whitton & Co., now in Victoria, I take the earliest opportunity of pronouncing the above statement an impudent, malicious falsehood, whether emanating from the proprietor of the present Gazette, or originating in the imagination of his lawyer. No sale of the subscription list of the VICTORIA GAZETTE has ever been made to anybody by A. Whitton & Co.

Yours, H. C. WILLISTON,  
of A. WHITTON & CO.

FINE OLD BRANDY,  
PORT & SHERRY,  
CLARET,  
AND—

SPARKLING CHAMPAGNES.

W. H. OLIVER,  
IMPORTER OF LIQUORS,  
Johnson street, opposite Wharf street,

—Has for sale—

Cognac Champagnes;  
Hedelis;  
Imperial do;  
Salterain Bros' celebrated California Wines;  
Old Tom Gin;  
Scotch Whisky;  
Jamaica Rum;  
Syrups, Cordials;  
Bitters, &c.

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## Christmas Purchases.

### JUST RECEIVED PER PACIFIC.

#### FRESH CURRANTS:

Laver Raisins;  
Dairy Fresh Butter and Cheese;  
Lard; Candles;  
English Bacon and Hams;  
Fine Family Tea;

1,000 bushel Potatoes, of Vancouver Island produce.

COLONIAL PRODUCE STORE,

Corner Yates and Government streets

T. PHELAN.

H. L. DAVIS,  
CENTRAL MARKET,  
CORNER OF  
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VICTORIA, V. I.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN

ALL KINDS OF FRESH MEATS.

—Ships, Steamboats, Hotels and Families supplied on most reasonable terms.

UNION HOOK AND LADDER CO.

A MEETING WILL BE HELD AT THE DASHAWAY Hall, Wharf street, on Thursday evening at 7½ o'clock P. M.

By order of the Foreman.

E. H. JACKSON,  
Secretary.

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FOUND.

ON MY FARM AT ROSEMOUNT, FOR THE

LAST two months, a Steer, dark brown, branded on the horns, as near as I can make out, M. P., with a rope round his neck. Unless claimed within one month, will be sold by auction to pay expenses.

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ROB. SCOTT.

# NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

## TO THE ELECTORS OF THE VICTORIA DISTRICT.

GENTLEMEN: I come forward, in compliance with the wishes of a considerable number of the Electors of your District, as a candidate to represent you at the coming election.

I claim your suffrages as a liberal and independent Reformer.

Every measure that will promote the rapid growth of this promising Colony, and foster its real progress, will have my warm support.

The present depressed state of the Finances of this country, demands early and serious attention, and, in order to keep taxation within the smallest possible limits, the utmost economy and prudence in administering the resources of the country, consistent with the efficiency of the public service, must be observed.

I am firmly convinced that the continuance of the present Free Ports, in the face of the heavy duties imposed on merchandise by neighboring countries, will so attract to our shores shipping and commerce from all parts of the world, as to render this place, eventually, the emporium of the Pacific.

I am desirous of aiding any feasible plan for the improvement of our postal communications, that will not prove a burthen on colonial funds.

I am in favor of an assisted emigration of the industrial classes, to enhance the value of land and its produce, and to distribute the necessary public expenditure over as large an area as possible.

I am opposed to the appropriation of State Funds to the endowment of any particular religious denomination. Every church should be supported by its own members.

A liberal and well digested Land System, that will open up the productive resources of the country, and increase the number of bona fide settlers, will be steadily advocated by every means in my power.

I shall be prepared to forward every measure that will tend to the establishment of a large export trade in timber, lumber, and the other staples of the island.

I shall sturdily oppose all measures which would tend to any combination of political power and privilege in the hands of a chartered few, to the detriment of individual enterprise in the Colony at large.

If elected, I am prepared to introduce such Reforms as are necessary for the adaptation of English law to the exigencies of the Colony.

It is of the utmost importance that prompt measures be adopted to improve the condition of our Roads, Bridges and Harbours; and the purchase money of public lands should in the first instance be devoted to this purpose.

I shall further, to the utmost, all measures of a sound liberal progressive nature, that will promote the benefit of the Colony; and the development of free institutions will ever find in me, should I have the honor of being elected your Representative, a zealous and hearty supporter.

I have the honor to be, gentlemen,

Your obedient servant,

HENRY P. PELLEW CREASE.

TO GEORGE HUNTER CARY, ESQ.:  
Sir:

We, the undersigned, electors and residents in Victoria, feeling confidence in your ability, independence and integrity, are anxious to secure your return for this constituency, and have accordingly formed ourselves into a Committee for the purpose of attaining that end.

We are, Sir,

Your very obedient Servants,

Edw. Stamp,

J. J. Southgate,

John Miles,

J. N. Thain,

E. G. Alston,

Robt. Burnaby,

G. T. Gordon,

J. G. Gasteau,

Kenneth McKenzie,

A. R. Green,

John Parker,

A. F. Main,

Robertson Stewart.

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James Yates,

Police Court.

DEC. 16—Lewis Oscar, arrested for selling liquor to Indians. Fined £10, or in default of payment to serve two months at hard labor.

John Day, drunk and disorderly. Fined 5s, or 6 hours imprisonment.

Patrick Kelly, drunk and incapable of taking care of himself. Fined 5s, or 6 hours imprisonment.

William Ross, drunk and disorderly. Fined 5s, or 6 hours imprisonment.

An Indian, drunk and disorderly. Fined 5s, or 6 hours imprisonment.

Ka-wish and Jim, two Indians, fighting in the street. Fined 5s. each, or 6 hours imprisonment.

W. G. Bowman, for using threatening language to Henry Machlin, was ordered to enter into his own recognizance in the sum of £10, to be of good behavior for 6 months.

Dec. 19.—S. Ridley, selling liquor to Indians. Fined £5, or 1 month imprisonment.

Dec. 20.—Xavier Bassard, selling spirituous liquor without license. Fined £20.

Wm Zelner, selling liquor without license. Discharged.

NEWSPAPER AT PORT TOWNSEND.—The press and material necessary for the publication of a weekly newspaper, have been received at Port Townsend, W. T. The paper is to be under the editorial charge of Travels Daniel, Esq.; is to be called the "PORT TOWNSEND REGISTER," and will be independent in politics and religion—a very nice arrangement, so far as the politics of that territory are concerned. The first number is to appear on Wednesday, the 28th inst.

POWDER.—We are requested to call the attention of the police department to the fact that in several large business establishments along the line of Wharf street, powder is stored in sufficient quantities to endanger the lives and property of all in the neighborhood, in the event of a fire breaking out in their localities. This should be attended to immediately.

The Chapman Family had another crowded house on Monday evening, and they richly deserved it. The performance was excellent, and the characters were well sustained throughout the entire piece.

LARGE SALE.—P. M. Backus, auctioneer,

will sell a large stock of dry goods, &c., of N. Trewick & Co., at 11 o'clock to day. Bargains may be expected.

IMPORTS.

For Am. Bark JEANNETTE, from San Francisco—132 drs flour; 3 puchins rum; 3 bbls brandy; 3 cks claret wine; 2 cases cordial; 11 cases Schnaps; 1 cts fruits in juice; 2 bbls vermouth; 1 cts cigars; 1 1/2 cts brandy; 2 1/2 pipes brandy; 1 bbl rum; 1 bbl old tom; 1 bbl whisky; 1 bbl gin; 1 bbl alcohol; 1 keg syrup; 1 keg lemon syrup; 412 sacks barley; 160 sks flour; 795 ft redwood; 10 tons hay; 4 cts butter.—Value £2500.

Per Sir ELIZA ANDERSON, from Port Townsend and Victoria—100 bush turnips; 16 lbs apples; 2 horses; 35 head of cattle; 8 tons beef; 1 case mds.

Per sehr WILD PIGEON, from Port Townsend—300 bush potatoes; 350 cabbages; 100 fowls; 6 hogs.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF VICTORIA, V. I.

ARRIVED.

Dec 20—Str Morning Star, Spring, Nanaimo. Dec 21—Str Eliza Anderson, Wright, Port Townsend.

Am bark Jeannette, Howland, San Francisco. Schr Surprise, Brown, Port Townsend. Schr Kossland, Foster, Port Townsend.

CLEARED.

Dec 20—Str Otter, Mount, New Westminster.

Str Eliza Anderson, Wright, New Westminster.

1860.

HOLIDAY BOOKS,  
BY LAST ARRIVAL

AT—

STATIONER'S HALL,  
A Beautiful Assortment

OF—

HANDSOMELY BOUND AND ILLUSTRATED  
PRESENTATION BOOKS,

AND—

ALBUMS;  
For the Approaching

CHRISTMAS

AND—

NEW YEAR.

Annals for 1860.

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HIBBEN & CARSWELL,

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THE ABOVE HOUSE HAS BEEN CAREFULLY

re-fitted to meet the wants of the Travelling

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PRIVATE ROOMS

For Families and others, where the wearied can find

A COMFORTABLE HOME.

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The greatest attention paid to the wants of Minerals.

A. SMITH & BRO.

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Atlantic, European and California newspapers.

A. SMITH & BRO.

TO LEASE.

ON THE VICTORIA ARM, THIRTY-FIVE

acres of Land with a running stream and house

thereon. For terms apply to

J. YATES, or Agent.

H. MYERS,

Wharf office, Victoria.

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JUST RECEIVED

PER STEAMER LABOUCHERE,

A BEAUTIFUL LOT OF

Gentlemen's Dressing Robes.

—ALSO—

A magnificent assortment of

SILK UMBRELLAS,

of high finish. A full assortment of Gents' Superfine

WHITE SHIRTS.

A New Style of

BYRON COLLARS

—and—

GARROTE COLLARS.

The Latest Styles of

IMPERIAL CRAVATS.

Those Superior Bengal Silk

DRAWERS.

I am now prepared to supply the numerous

calls for

Gents' Night Shirts.

Call and examine at

N. POINTER'S.

dec 15-1m

GROCERIES & PROVISIONS,  
WHOLESALE & RETAIL.

W. B. SMITH, announces to his Friends and

Customers of Vancouver Island and British Columbia

of having removed to his new commodious

store adjoining the corner of Yates and Government

streets, respectfully calls their attention to his large

and well selected stock of

FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, & C.

Which he is now prepared to offer at very reasonable

prices.

Fine qualities of Black and Green Teas, Rio and Java Coffees, Chocolates, Preserved Fruits, Jams, Jellies, and a choice assortment of general Italian Olimen's Stores, selected with special care for family consumption.

Is in constant receipt of Fresh California and Oregon Potatoes, Cheese, and Eggs, direct from the dairy.

All orders promptly attended to, and goods warrantied as represented.

Victoria, Nov. 25, 1859.

dec 6-1m

REMOVAL.

J. A. McCREA

Has Removed his

Auction and Commission House

to the Store formerly occupied by

Messrs. Huntoon & Co.,

WHARF STREET,

Foot of Yates Street.

Consignments solicited either for Auction or Private Sale.

dec 15-1m

HARDWARE. TINWARE.

M. PRAG

offers for sale, cheap.

HARDWARE, Agricultural Implements,

Bar Iron, Steel & Iron-Mongery,

STOVE & TINWARE

of every description.

Glass and Crockery Ware, Wood and Willow Ware,

&c. & c.

dec 15-1m

AUSTRALIA.

FOR SYDNEY DIRECT.

THE FINE A 1 CLIPPER SHIP PRINCESS ROYAL, 1855.

R. F. C. HARTLEY, COMMANDER,

will sail from Port Townsend for the above port on

or about the 27th December, having superior accommoda-

tions for a limited number of first and second

class Cabin passengers, for which early application is

necessary. For terms apply to

SOUTHAGE & MITCHELL,

Victoria.

dec 15-1m

MOUNTAIN DEW PUNCH.

QUAKERS.

TOM AND JERRY.

EARLY PERL.

MULLED ALE AND PORTER.

All the above Drinks 12 1/2 cents per Glass at the

BANK EXCHANGE, next to Stationer's Hall, Yates st.

Give us a call.

dec 6-1m

FOR CHINA.

Passengers only.

THE FINE CLIPPER SHIP "ICONIUM,"

CHAS. P. HESTER, Commander,

will leave Port Townsend about the 10th instant.

Has superior accommodations for passengers.

Apply to SOUTHAGE & MITCHELL,

Wharf street, Victoria.

dec 5-1m

ROOMS AND OFFICES

TO LET,

OVER N. MOORE & CO.'S

Dry Goods Store,

YATES STREET.

dec 13

FOR SALE.

A BARGAIN.

FOUR LOTS ON VIEW STREET, PRICE \$150

Each. Also a corner Lot near the Police Barracks; Price low.

Also a corner Lot on Douglas and Chatham,—and various Lots for Sale and Lease,

at a low figure. Apply to JOHN COPLAND,

Government street, Victoria.

dec 15-1m

TO MARKET GARDENERS.

TO LET, IN THE TOWN OF VICTORIA, FOR

1 a term of years, about 5 Acres of Land, of the

best quality, in one Lot, or subdivided as may be

most suitable for Garden purposes.

The soil is very rich, and well adapted for Market

Gardens. Apply to L. LOWENBERG,

Real Estate Agent,

dec 17-1m

Government street, Victoria.

dec 15-1m

THEATRE.

Royal Hotel, Wharf St.

ENTIRE CHARGE OF PERFORMANCE

Every Night during the present week,

By the PIONEER TROUPE.

ON THE VICTORIA ARM, THIRTY-FIVE

acres of Land with a running stream and house

thereon. For terms apply to

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H. MYERS,

Wharf office, Victoria.

dec 15-1m

Victoria, Dec. 13, 1860.

OPENING OF THE SCHOOL

—FOR—

YOUNG LADIES,

BY THE SISTERS OF ST. ANN.

Broad street, near Port street.

VICTORIA V. I.

THE SYSTEM of instruction comprises: Or-

ography, Reading, Grammar, History, Ge-

ography and the use of the Globes, Natural Phi-

losophy, the Elements of Astronomy, Composi-

tion; (these branches can be taught both in French

and English.) Plain and ornamental Writing,

Arithmetic, Plain and Fancy Needlework, in all

its varieties.

The discipline of the School is mild, but firm

and regular, and strict attention to its regulations

FRANKLYN, MACDONALD & CO.  
Government Pier—Port Douglas, B. C.  
GENERAL MERCHANTS,  
Commission, Forwarding & Land Agents  
Goods Landed and Stored.

FRANKLYN MACDONALD & CO.,  
beg to intimate that they have established  
a branch of their business at CAYOOSH, near Upper  
Fraser, that they have

#### A TRAIN OF MULES.

On the Portage between the Lillooet and Anderson  
Lakes and are prepared to

#### Receive, Store, and Forward

Goods to the upper country at moderate terms. They  
have a store to their store Douglas, which being by  
the water's side, and some distance from any other  
building, insures the danger of fire, and avoids all ex-  
pense of portage.

#### NEW GOODS! NEW GOODS!

JUST RECEIVED FROM LONDON,  
JANION & GREEN.

Blankets—an assortment;

Flannels—red, green, white and yellow;

Woolen and Cotton Hosiery, assorted;

Clothing assorted;

Woolen of Napoleon Boots;

Casual Prints;

Silk and cotton Handkerchiefs;

Alpaca, silk and cotton Umbrellas;

Fancy Flannel Shirts;

Satin and Brocade;

Mittons, Gloves, Nap Caps;

Beads, Buttons, Combs, &c.

—ALSO—

Pale Sherry, Scotch Whisky; pale and dark Brandy

in one dozen cases; Ale and Porter, in 4 dozen cases;

—ALSO—

Oars, assorted sizes; Tar; Bolt-Rope; English Hams

English Hams and Bacon; oatmeal of superior quality

in 14 lbs tins; Fancy Biscuits of various sorts;

Victoria Nov 18—20th JANION & GREEN.

#### JUST RECEIVED

AND NOW LANDING, EX BARK

"SEASIDE," from Hong Kong:

400 cases No 1 China sugar;

100 chests No 1 Black Tea;

82 cases No 1 Manilla Coffee;

40 Rattan Chairs;

10 Bamboo Expansion Chairs;

75 cases of various sizes;

30 cases Chinese Preserves, assorted;

2 cases Chinese Fire Crackers;

1 case of Silk Goods, containing an elegant as-  
sortment of Shawls; Scarfs and Handkerchiefs;

For sale by SAMUEL PRICE & CO.

16th Nov 18—20th JANION & GREEN.

W A S H I N G T O N R E S T A U R A N T  
REFITTED AND IMPROVED.

THE ABOVE RESTAURANT, on Gov-  
ernment street, between Yates and Johnson sts.,  
having been thoroughly refitted, is now prepared to  
supply the wants of all its old customers, and such  
new as may be disposed to patronize it.

The table is always supplied with every delicacy in  
season, together with all the substantial requisites for  
good living.

Excellent Cigars always on hand.

28th Nov 18—20th JANION & GREEN.

Agents for the Liverpool Underwriters  
Association.

THE UNDERSIGNED BEG LEAVE TO  
the Merchants, Ship Owners and Ship Masters,  
that they have received the appointment as Agents  
at Victoria, Oregon's Island, for the Liverpool Un-  
derwriters Association.

JANION & GREEN.

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#### C. J. PIDWELL & CO.,

F U R N I T U R E D E A L E R S ,  
South-east corner Yates and Douglas sts.,

H A V E J U S T R E C E I V E D A L A R G E  
Invoice of assorted Furniture of the latest fash-  
ions, consisting in part of Common, Dining  
Rocking and Library Chairs; Bedsteads, Bedding, Bed-  
room Sets, Sofas, entre-Tables, Ladies' Work-tables  
&c. &c. all of which will be sold at the LOW FEST  
CASH PRICES.

R I G A T E A L E , a Superior article in

4 dozen casks;

Cognac Brandy of Superior quality, in

one dozen cases;

Scotch Whisky in one doz. cases;

Pale Sherry, do do do

Just received and for sale by

JANION & GREEN.

NOV 16—20th JANION & GREEN.

S C O T C H O A T M E A L of superior qual-  
ity, in 14 lb tins:

Fancy Biscuits of various sorts.

Just received and for sale by

JANION & GREEN.

FOR SALE,

E X P A T E ARRIVALS, Jamaica Rum, in

punches and hogheads;

McKenzie & Co's superior Scotch Whisky in

punches;

Superior French Brandies in qr casks;

Byers & Co's Bottled Ale in pints;

100 cases of Beer, Pils and Pints;

Tooth's Bottled Ale in qts;

Oregon Ale, in cask and bottle;

Duff Gordon's superior Pale Sherry;

Gin, do do do

Superior London Bottled Port Wine.

SOUTHGATE & MITCHELL.

FOR SALE,

T H E w e l l k n o w n F a s t S a l l i n g Amer-  
ican Schooner ROB RY. Capt. McLean, now  
lying off Victoria, B. C., San Francisco, and  
is well adapted for the stone, coal, cattle or lumber  
trade; will carry 70 tons weight or 30 thousand feet of  
lumber. For further particulars apply to

JAMES N. M. REID

Victoria, V. I., Nov 18—20th corner of Wharf street.

STORE TO LET.

O N GOVERNMENT STREET, The

Store and premises now occupied by Mr. A. F.

Hardware Dealer, to let with immediate

possession, as the occupant is about to remove to

Yates street. Apply on the premises.

NOV 16—20th JANION & GREEN.

FOR SALE.

B Y T H E U N D E R S I G N E D , 500 Mats Bata

via Rice;

500 lbs Scotch Oatmeal;

200 casks superior Salt Beef.

28 JANION & GREEN.

NOTICE.

F. J. De ST. OURS, Administrator of

the Estate of JAMES MACDONALD, now

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W A T E R - P R O O F C O A T S , assorted

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INFORMATION WANTED.

O F J A Q U E S M O N T R E Y, A L I O S B O U C H E R , at

Victoria, V. I., will get a letter from his wife, daughter,

and son-in-law, P. LACOME, Montreal, Canada East.

H E A V Y B L U E and Scarlet Serge

Shirts. Just received and for sale by

JANION & GREEN.

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#### NATHAN POINTER,

IMPORTER AND DEALER IN

Messrs. Davis & Jones' Patent

#### SHIRTS,

OF NEW YORK,

And L. ATKINSON'S Improved SHOULDER  
SEAM PATTERN SHIRTS, of Philadelphia.

Just received, the latest styles of BALTIC  
SHIRTS, from London.

Also, a fine lot of pure Baltic Stockings and  
Hose; Gents' Shaker Flannel Undershirts and  
Drawers.

Also, a fine lot of Derby and Saxon Wool  
Shirts and Drawers; White and Colored Mar-  
seilles Shirts.

A full assortment of Gents' Superfine Menches-  
ter Gingham Shirts.

A magnificent assortment of Gents' SILK  
SCARFS.

A new style of Gents' fine Cassimere Comforters  
and Opera Scarfs.

A superior article of Children's Woolen Hose  
of all colors and sizes; Umbrellas and Carpet  
Bags.

#### ON YATES STREET,

Opposite Bank of British North America,

VICTORIA, V. I.

He is now prepared to offer the largest assort-  
ment of

#### Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods

EVER EXHIBITED IN VICTORIA,

comprising all the latest styles of the celebrated  
Davis & Jones' superfine Patent

#### White and Colored Shirts.

And is receiving by every steamer those beauti-  
ful BYRON SHIRTS, of all sizes, running from  
13 to 20 inches around the neck.

Ladies should call soon and examine those su-  
perior

#### Baltic Stockings for Winter wear.

Orders sent through Express—by sending the

size of the neck for Shirts, we will guarantee to

supply the wants of all its old customers, and such

new as may be disposed to patronize it.

The table is always supplied with every delicacy in

season, together with all the substantial requisites for

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28th Nov 18—20th JANION & GREEN.

#### J. D. CARROLL,

YATES STREET,

(BETWEEN WHARF AND GOVERNMENT STS.)

#### IMPORTER,

—AND—

#### WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER

—IN—

#### Wines and Liquors,

Now Offers for Sale the Following

#### CHOICE BRANDS.

#### 10 PUNCHEONS SCOTCH WHISKEY,

19 " Jamaica Rum;

10 " Swain & Board's Old Tom Gin;

15 pipes Holland Gin;

15 " casks Sazerac Cognac;

10 " Martel Cognac;

15 " Segnette Cognac;

25 bbls Bourbon Whiskey;

50 bbls Alcohol;

50 casks American Brandy;

25 hds. Cognac & Burton Ale;

30 bbls Oregon Oder;

150 cases Swain and Board's Old Tom;

30 cases London Dock Cognac Brandy;

20 cases London Club House Gin;

20 " Wolfe's Schnapps;

100 cases V. H. & Co. Anchor Holland Gin

50 " Absinthe Suisse;

50 " Vermouth Rivoire;

50 " Scotch Whiskey, Robt. Thln;

150 cases Claret Wine;

50 " John Durand Hay, Sauterne;

10 bbls Gordon Sherry Wine;

10 " Crown Port Wine;

25 baskets Heidsick Champagne;

25 cases Rosenthal's Bitters;

25 " Hostetter's Bitters;

15 " Turner's Forest Wine Bitters;

25 " Baker's Bitters;

30 " Ginger Wine;

150 cases Turner's Assorted Syrups;

100 cases Byss' Porter, 4 doz. each;

50 casks Bass' Ale, 4 doz. each.

200 orders from any part of the COUNTRY punctu-  
ally attended to.

TERMS CASH.

J. D. CARROLL.

Opposite Freeman & Co's Express,

2nd-23m Yates Streets.</